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Probably thunderstorms tonight; to-
morrow fair and cooler.

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LOCAL TOBACCO MEN INDORSE THE CO- OPERATIVE SYSTEM

Great Interest Attached to Visit of
Judge Robert W. Bingham and
Aaron Sapiro to Maysville—
Bankers To Hear Plan.

The majority of the local tobacco men who have studied the co-operative marketing plan for Burley tobacco as suggested by Aaron Sapiro, expert from the California co-operative marketing associations, have given the plan their endorsement and believe with other prominent tobacco men and bankers throughout Kentucky that Mr. Sapiro's plan is the solution of the tobacco problem for Kentucky.

Judge Robert W. Bingham, editor of the Courier-Journal and Times at Louisville, will come to Maysville on next Wednesday to address the bankers of the Sixth and Ninth Congressional districts who meet here in convention at Beechwood Park and present the plan in detail. At quite a number of the district bankers' conventions throughout the state this summer the system has been endorsed by the bankers and there is therefore much interest attached to the visit of Judge Bingham here.

In addition to addressing the bankers, Judge Bingham will confer with representatives of the tobacco growers from each precinct in the county and later in the summer Mr. Sapiro, the author of the plan, will address the farmers of the county in a mass meeting.

WILL DISCUSS CITY LEVY AT MEETING.

A meeting of the Ways and Means committee, of City Council will be held Monday at which time the requests of the various city departments for funds for the next fiscal year will be presented and the budget for next year will be discussed. A desperate effort will be made by the committee to reduce the city tax levy for the next year to \$1.50 per hundred dollars of taxable property. The levy will be made at the June meeting of City Council which will be held at the Council Chamber on next Monday evening.

NOTICE.

No fishing allowed on my farm, as I have stocked pond with fish.
E. T. KIRK.

CHILDREN'S DAY AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH SUNDAY

Interesting Program Is Arranged for
Celebration of Children's Day
on Next Sunday.

Children's Day will be celebrated at the Christian church on next Sunday from 9:30 to 11 a. m. and the following interesting program will be rendered:

March.
Opening Song—"Summer Suns Are Glowing."
Prayer.

Scripture Reading—"The House of God," Lois Mullen.

Recitation—"Worth While," Seven little girls and boys.

Song—"We Come With Hearts Rejoicing."

Scripture Reading—Anne Gordon Parker.

Song—"If I Were a Little Child," Edith Young, Frances Scott Key and Gladys Frodge.

Recitation—"Praying and Paying," Nellie Boughton.

Violin Solo—Virginia Watkins.

Scripture Reading—Elizabeth Broshers.

Recitation—Four girls.

Duet—"Sweet Are the Songs of the Wild Birds," Elizabeth Knox and Thelma Pollitt.

Scripture Reading—Edna Keith.

Recitation—Paul Thomas.

Song—"Who Will Go?"

Every one is asked to bring a liberal offering which applies on the support of Mrs. Beatty in Japan.

The children of the Presbyterian church have something to tell you on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. 3-2t

EAGLES INSTALL.

Maysville Lodge of Eagles held a very interesting installation session Thursday evening at which time all new officers were installed for the ensuing year. Mr. Harry L. Walsh is the new worthy president. Following the installation there was a very delightful social hour and a fine banquet was served.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

TEACHERS PLAN PICNIC.

The primary teachers of the First Baptist Sunday school held a social Thursday evening following the regular prayer service at which time plans were made for the annual Primary Department picnic which will be held at Beechwood Park.

JURY AGAIN UNABLE TO AGREE IN MURDER TRIAL AT VANCEBURG

Jury Said to Stand 7 to 5 for Acquittal
of Harvey Austin Indicted for
Murder of Charles Bertram
Last December.

For the second time a jury failed to agree in the Harvey Austin murder trial at Vanceburg Thursday and after deliberating an entire day without reaching an agreement, Judge W. C. Halbert dismissed them. It is understood the jury stood 7 for acquittal and 5 for conviction. The time they were discharged. A jury which heard the case during the previous term of the Lewis Circuit Court also failed to agree, although it is said all twelve were agreed to conviction but could not agree on the punishment.

Austin, who was one of the officials at the Vanceburg dam, is charged with having shot and wounded Charles Bertram, C. & O. railroad telegraph operator, from which wounds he died in about a week after the accident at a Portsmouth hospital.

Austin's original story was that he, with others, were sitting at the home of John McKellup in Vanceburg at about 9:30 o'clock talking of the crime wave, then sweeping the nation, when a noise was heard at the window and later other noises at the front door. Austin went to the door, picking up a revolver, and demanded to know who was at the door. He says, there was no reply but someone ran against the door, he fired two shots through the door and struck Bertram, who was a brother-in-law of John McKellup, and who had come there to leave his house key for his wife, who was expected on the evening train. Although Austin differed in small details in telling the story to several, he has always held to the original story that he thought burglars were endeavoring to enter the house.

Austin was held in the local jail for several weeks prior to his first trial after which he was admitted to bail in the sum of \$5,000. A motion has been filed for a reduction of bail by his attorneys and will be taken up by Judge Halbert this week. Whether Austin will be again tried has not as yet been decided by the Lewis county officials.

You are invited to the pageant at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. 3Jun2t

SPRINGDALE COUPLE MARRIED TUESDAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Trumbo, Frank Trumbo and Miss Mae Cobb, of Springdale, were married at the Paul restaurant Tuesday noon. Frank Trumbo has had six years of army life. Miss Cobb said they were going to West Union, "just because." Friends who knew them said they were on their way to the probate judge's office. Congratulations.—Manchester Signal

Men's Work Shirts 50 cents each. L. R. Steel Co. 5c. to \$1.00 Store.

ATTRACTIVE NEW WINDOW SIGN.

Messrs. Robert Power and Quinn Martin, Maysville High School boys, have entered the sign business and have executed their first work on the window at the Sproenberg grocery, East Second and Commerce streets. The sign is quite attractive and many compliments have been passed on it.

FREAK RADISH.

Mr. J. W. Downing, of the Washington neighborhood, is today displaying a freak radish from his garden which is nearly an exact reproduction of a human hand. The radish has a thumb and four distinct fingers and is one of the best freak vegetables we have seen.

MINERVA PRIEST IS TRANSFERRED.

Rev. Father E. J. Corby, pastor of the Brookville and Minerva Catholic churches will leave those parishes on June 8th for Mt. Sterling. Father Corby and his mother, Mrs. Ellen Corby, have made many friends during their stay in this section, who regret their leaving.

Special gold band Cups and Saucers 19 cents. L. R. Steel Co. 5c. to \$1.00 Store.

270,026 FARMERS IN KENTUCKY LAST YEAR.

Washington, June 3. — There were 257,995 white farmers in Kentucky in 1920 as against 247,455 in 1910. There were 12,628 colored farmers in the state in 1920 as against 11,739 in 1910.

FINAL REHEARSAL TONIGHT.

The final rehearsal of the Children's Day program of the Third Street M. E. Sunday school will take place at 6:30 Friday evening. Everyone having part must be present.

UNKNOWN MAN FOUND IN BROWN COUNTY

Stranger Found in Keys Martin's Barn
Gives Several Names—Talks
As If Insane.

An unknown man found by Keys Martin in his barn in Brown county, Ohio, Decoration Day and turned over to Sheriff Neu, says along with many other statements given out, that he is the owner of 4,000,000 gallons of whiskey. He told the sheriff and Mr. Martin also, when they queried him to find what his name is and where he came from, that he was once a horse trainer for General Grant. His talk is wildly rambling and there is nothing that leads to his identity. Sheriff Neu says that those who have called at the jail are all apparently known by the man. He has stated that his name is William Polley, upon several occasions. He has also stated that it is John Stump and John Geddings.

He is apparently about 55 years of age. Has dark hair and swarthy complexion. He says he is of the negro race, and is believed to be of foreign extraction. Unless some clue to his identity can be fixed he will be committed to a state institution.

Ivory Soap, 4 bars 25 cents. L. R. Steel Co. 5c. to \$1.00 Store.

MASON COUNTY GIRL GRADUATES WITH HONORS.

Miss Mildred Bane, of Orangeburg, was a member of the graduating class at Midway Girls' School at Midway, Ky., this year and at the commencement exercises held Wednesday of this week was awarded two of the four medals offered for scholarship in the Senior year. Miss Bane's many friends congratulate her upon the splendid record she has made.

CONFEDERATES OBSERVE MEMORIAL DAY.

Memorial day was observed Friday by the local chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy. The fifteen surviving veterans in Mason county were guests at a dinner party given by the chapter at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Matthews. The annual Memorial service was held at the Maysville Cemetery Friday afternoon. Mr. A. G. Sulser was the orator.

GERMANTOWN HERE SUNDAY.

The fast Germantown baseball club will play the Maysville team at the local park on Sunday afternoon. As both teams have made splendid records this summer, it is expected that a fine specimen of the game will be seen. A good sized crowd of fans is expected. Many are coming from Germantown.

BURDEN—RITCHIE.

Mr. Crap Ritchie, aged 21, of Bartschville, and Miss Lida Burden, aged 21, of Crayton, were married at the County Clerk's office Friday morning by Rev. W. S. Peters, pastor of the Third Street M. E. church.

Mr. John R. Cochran, of the county who recently underwent a serious surgical operation at Mayo's hospital Rochester, Minn., arrived home Friday afternoon much improved in health.

Dr. Louis A. Grimes, prominent Concord physician, is very critically ill.

COLVIN AND BAS- SETT AGAIN WITH THE OLD SETTLERS

Fourth-of-July Celebration at Ruggles
Camp Ground This Year Is
To Be Great Event.

Along with other celebrations of the Nation's birthday, will come the old reliable Old Settlers' reunion and patriotic picnic. The officers of the association are fast getting plans going for an unusual celebration of the day. President B. C. Grigaby announced that the Tollesboro band will furnish the music. Hon. Geo. Colvin, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and one of the state's notable orators, will speak. Col. Fred Bassett who nearly tickled them to death last Fourth of July has consented to repeat the dose with still better effect this year. A Maysville male quartet will appear on the program.

The management expects to have one other big attraction to announce in a few days. So far as possible everything will be on a pre-war basis so that no one may be kept away because of high prices. The gate fee has been put back to ten cents—just enough to cover actual expenses. Then those who have the refreshment privileges take them with the understanding that low prices must prevail.

For many years Ruggles Campground has been the attraction for thousands on the Fourth of July. It is a delightful place to spend a safe and sane Fourth.

Special Blue and White Enamelled Dish Pans \$1.00 each. L. R. Steel Co. 5c. to \$1.00 Store.

On Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock, a pageant will be given at the Presbyterian church. Everybody invited. 3-2t

LOST—BUNCH OF KEYS.

Lost—Bunch of keys, either on West Third street or Germantown pike. Reward if returned to this office. 31-3t

The P. T. A. will serve ice cream and strawberries at the Washington High School, Saturday from 3 to 10 p. m. Everybody invited. 1Jun3t

CHARGES OF NOVELIST TO BE INVESTIGATED

Lillian Bell Makes Most Serious
Charge Against Red Cross—
To Be Investigated.

New York, June 3. — The Central Trades and Labor council of Greater New York has voted to investigate charges against the American Red Cross, made by Miss Lillian Bell, novelist, in an appeal for ill and wounded soldiers. She was accompanied to the meeting by a delegation of wounded veterans.

The speaker declared that she understood the Red Cross had close to \$15,000,000 now, out of which they could adequately care for every wounded and sick soldier on the face of this earth and not feel it.

She charged that the Red Cross paid extravagant salaries, expended unnecessary large sums in administration, and declared she knew of instances of ill-treatment suffered by ill and wounded soldiers at the hands of Red Cross nurses and employees.

Finest quality Coffee 25 cents pound. L. R. Steel Co. 5c. to \$1.00 Store.

INQUEST CONTINUED.

Coroner Thomas F. Higgins was ready at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon to hold an inquest into the death of Mr. John Dwyer at the court house, when it was announced from the County Attorney's office that because of the failure of important witnesses to make their appearance, the inquest would have to be continued. The Coroner made his continuance indefinite.

FORGERY CASE CONTINUED.

The case against A. Boems, charged with forgery, which was set for Friday afternoon before County Judge Purnell, has been continued until Monday because of the failure of important witnesses to appear.

SHIPMENT OF BULLFROGS.

Mr. R. Lee Lovel, grocer, Friday received a shipment of 121 large bullfrogs from Lewis county which attracted considerable attention at his store that afternoon.

GERMANS KILLED BY POLISH, WHO HOLD CIVILIANS

Upper Silesia Is Scene of Much Plunder and Murder — Poles Drive Out Germans.

London, June 3. — Polish insurgents in Upper Silesia have caused great property losses at Malaplane, according to dispatches here today.

A large force surrounded a detachment of Germans there, killing 13 and gaining entrance to the town. Six large factories were burned and 50 civilians who attempted to aid the Germans were taken prisoner.

The civilians are being held as hostages for the safety of the invaders.

The invading force was joined by stragglers. All of them are living on what they can commandeer from residents.

The Poles also took the offensive at Pless. The few German policemen on guard at the principal buildings were powerless. Sixty of them were taken prisoner when the Poles made a rush for the castle of the Prince of Pless.

The castle was looted. Its walls were stripped of canvases which the invaders cut from frames and rolled under their blouses. Heavy furniture was damaged when the men found they could not carry it.

The Poles were said to be withdrawing through fear that British forces would start a drive.

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CINCINNATI MARKETS.

Friday, June 3.
Cattle—787, slow and steady; Bulls, dull; Calves, strong.
Hogs—6425, steady; Heavy \$8.25@ \$8.50; Mixed, Medium, Lights and Pigs \$8.50; Roughs, \$6.75; Slags, \$4.50.
Sheep—5284, steady; Lambs, active and strong, top \$14.

Mrs. W. B. Dawson, of East Second street, who has been seriously ill for the past several days, is reported as improving.

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Sport Models

For Lazy Days

YOU WANT COMFORT IN CLOTHES THESE DAYS. SOLID COMFORT MEANS MORE THAN EASE IN MOVING ABOUT—IT MEANS KNOWING THAT THE GARMENT YOU HAVE ON IS IN STYLE. THE PALM BEACH AND TROPICAL WORSTED SUITS YOU GET AT THIS STORE GIVE YOU ALL THAT COMFORT SHOULD MEAN. WE HAVE A VARIETY OF COLORS IN YOUR SIZE. BIG REDUCTION IN NETTLETON SHOES. TAKE YOUR CHOICE OF ANY NETTLETON SHOE IN OUR STOCK AT \$12.50.

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The Big MID-SEASON SALE

At Merz Bros. Still Continues

MANY OF THE PREVIOUSLY ADVERTISED ARTICLES HAVE BEEN SOLD OUT BUT WE ARE CONSTANTLY ADDING NEW BARGAINS, AND EVERY DAY THE SALE GROWS. HOWEVER, THIS IS GOING TO BE A SHORT SALE SO DO NOT PUT OFF YOUR INTENDED PURCHASES. YOU MAY BE TOO LATE.

RUGS AT EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.

RUGS just had to come down from the high prices, but no one dreamed that they would come down as much as they did. We bought a lot of Rugs at Alexander Smith's auction and we have the newest patterns at the lowest prices.

10% Discount on all low SHOES in the house.

Extra Special \$18.00 Red Cross OXFORDS for \$7.75.

\$5.00 Boys' Black SHOES for \$3.00.

\$5.00 Ladies' Brown OXFORDS and PUMPS of Calfskin for \$3.50.

Ladies' White Canvas SHOES \$1.95.

SHOE REPAIRING done while you wait.

The READY TO WEAR DEPARTMENT is surely a busy spot and no wonder for the values offered there during this sale cannot be matched.

DAISY BLEACHED COTTON 12½ cents yard. Each customer is limited to 20 yards.

A regular 25 cent DRESS GINGHAM at only 15 cents yard EAGLE SHIRTS, slightly imperfect, worth from \$2.50 to \$4.50, at \$1.39.

A good HUCK TOWEL made for Uncle Sam, 6 for 50 cents CORSETS worth from \$1.50 to \$2, put out special for this sale at 98 cents.

Colgate's Guest SOAP, a great special, 3 bars for 5 cents.

\$3.00 Long Silk GLOVES are put in Saturday's Special at \$1.98.

The Suits, Coats, Silk and Wool Dresses, Plaid Skirts, Children's Dresses were all cheap before the sale. The discounts we are offering on these garments will make you buy in quantities, you cannot help it. But one should come in early.

MERZ BROS.

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We want to whisper in your shell-like ear, in a stage whisper, that we have

10,000 Pounds
Genuine Deering
and McCormick
Pure Manilla

Binder TWINE

That we can sell you for what you are paying the other fellow for common twine. Want us to prove it to you?

Too, just to remind you that we have a few of those rat-eaten buggies left, and, if you want a genuine Buggy Bargain, better get a hustle on you.

Yours, tickled that business is getting normal, again.

MIKE BROWN

The Square Deal Man
of Square Deal Square.